SUPREME COURT MINUTES TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2009 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

S076169

PEOPLE v. PARKER (GERALD)

Extension of time granted

Good cause appearing, and based upon Supervising Deputy Attorney General Holly D. Wilkens's representation that she anticipates filing the respondent's brief by December 2, 2009, counsel's request for an extension of time in which to file that brief is granted to October 5, 2009. After that date, only one further extension totaling about 60 additional days is contemplated.

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MERKLE ON DISCIPLINE

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that GARY LEE MERKLE, State Bar Number 122325, is suspended from the practice of law in California for one year, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and he is placed on probation for two years subject to the following conditions:

- 1. GARY LEE MERKLE is suspended from the practice of law for the first 30 days of probation;
- 2. GARY LEE MERKLE must comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on March 4, 2009; and
- 3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if GARY LEE MERKLE has complied with all conditions of probation, the one-year period of stayed suspension will be satisfied and that suspension will be terminated.

GARY LEE MERKLE must take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order and provide satisfactory proof of such passage to the State Bar's Office of Probation in Los Angeles within the same period. Failure to do so may result in an automatic suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

S173486

MILLER ON DISCIPLINE

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that JANET CLARE MILLER, State Bar Number 106018, is suspended from the practice of law in California for one year, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and she is placed on probation for two years subject to the following conditions:

- 1. JANET CLARE MILLER must comply with the conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on February 5, 2009.
- 2. At the expiration of the period of probation, if JANET CLARE MILLER has complied with the terms of probation, the one-year period of stayed suspension will be satisfied and that suspension will be terminated.

JANET CLARE MILLER must also take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order and provide satisfactory proof of such passage to the State Bar's Office of Probation in Los Angeles within the same period. Failure to do so may result in an automatic suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).) Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment. One-third of the costs must be paid with her membership fees for the years 2010, 2011 and 2012. If JANET CLARE MILLER fails to pay any installment as described above, or as may be modified by the State Bar Court, the remaining balance is due and payable immediately.